

Amendment No. 2 to SB1287

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Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1287

House Bill No. 1216*

by deleting the effective date section, SECTION 2 of the bill as amended, and substituting instead:

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

AND FURTHER AMEND by inserting the following new section immediately preceding the last section of the bill, as amended, and renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION ___. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-226, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection (e):

(e) Nothing in this section or § 68-11-201 shall require a provider of home medical equipment or services that manufactures or distributes, or both manufactures and distributes, the provider's own company-branded insulin infusion pumps and related supplies and services to have a place of business within the state if the provider:

- (1) Maintains an employee presence within the state;
- (2) Is accredited by the Joint Commission; and
- (3) Maintains a service telephone number for twenty-four-hour access, seven (7) days a week.